MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

NOMINATION FORM for the NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

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This church is typical of the mid-19th century. Like most of the small Dorchester and Caroline County structures, this building has a central gable entrance. Its double doors have panels above, matching the panels on the doors, and an even higher architrave. On the corners of the building are recessed paneled pilasters, the capitals of which end before they reach the overhanging eave. building is constructed on a brick foundation, which is 20th century in date. The base of the structure is covered with plywood, although, there obviously was a very wide lower board. The walls are covered with weatherboard approximately 5 inch exposure.

The church is three bays deep with 4/4 sash and louvered shutters. At the top of each of the windows is a rather simple decorative cornice. In the west gable is a very small projection from the sancturary, which also has corner pilasters. It is a much lower portion and has a single 4/4 sash and an "A" roof.

The building has an "A" roof. Between the second and third bays, on each side, is a brick chimney that issues from the roof. In the north east corner is a date plaque with the words: Wesley M. E. Church, a.d. 1874.

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